PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2841

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Takehito KOBAYASHI Group Art Unit: 2841

Application No.: 10/754,717 Examiner: H. BUI

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For: CIRCUIT STRUCTURAL BODY AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 28, 2006 Office Action, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the attached accurate translation of the priority document, and the following remarks. Claims 1-17 are pending.

A. The Office Action rejects claims 1-12 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) over U.S. Patent Application Publication 2004/0160731 to Yamaguchi in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,214,525 to Boyko et al. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Yamaguchi has a U.S. filing date of October 24, 2003. Applicant claims priority of Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-005950, filed on January 14, 2003, before the U.S. filing date of Yamaguchi. Submitted herewith is an accurate translation of the priority document.

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